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Notes, Notices, and Cautions

 **NOTE:** A NOTE indicates important information that helps you make better use of your computer.

 **NOTICE:** A NOTICE indicates either potential damage to hardware or loss of data and tells you how to avoid the problem.

 **CAUTION:** A CAUTION indicates a potential for property damage, personal injury, or death.

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Package Contents

Your monitor comes with all the items shown below. Ensure that you have all the items. If something is missing, [contact Dell](#).



NOTE: Some items may be optional and may not ship with your monitor. Some features or media may not be available in certain countries.

	1 Monitor with stand
	1 Power cable
	1 Power adapter
	1 VGA cable

	1 DVI cable
	1 USB up stream cable (enables the USB ports on the monitor) 1 USB down stream cable (optional)
	1 Documentation (Safety Information, Quick Start Guide, and CD)

Product Features

The **SX2210** flat panel display has an active matrix, thin-film transistor (TFT), liquid crystal display (LCD). The monitor features include:

- 21.5 inches (546.8 mm) diagonal.
- 1920 X 1080 resolution, plus full-screen support for lower resolutions.
- Tilt adjustment capabilities.
- Plug and play capability if supported by your system.
- On-Screen Display (OSD) adjustments for ease of set-up and screen optimization.
- Software and documentation media which includes an information file (INF), Image Color Matching File (ICM), Webcam Software, Facial Recognition Software, and product documentation.
- Energy Saver feature for Energy Star compliance.
- Security lock slot.
- 2.0 Mega pixel internal webcam with integrated microphone.

Identifying Parts and Controls

Front View

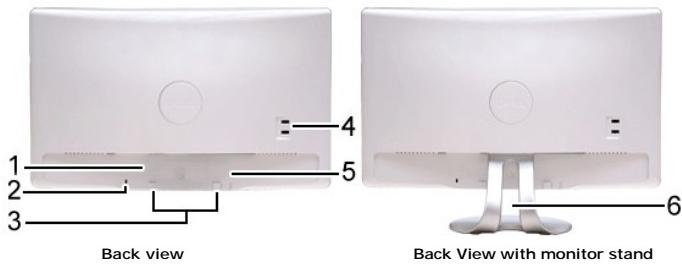


Front View

Label	Description
	Shortcut keys (for more information, see Operating the Monitor)

1-2	*The default settings are Preset Modes select and Brightness/Contrast select.
1	Preset Modes select
2	Brightness/Contrast select
3	OSD menu select
4	EXIT
5	Power button (with light indicator)
6	Webcam
7	Microphone

Back View

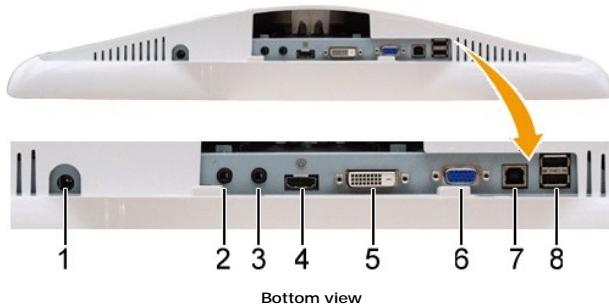


Label	Description	Use
1	Barcode serial number label	To contact Dell for technical support.
2	Security lock slot	To help secure your monitor.
3	Dell soundbar mounting brackets	To attach the optional Dell Soundbar.
4	USB downstream port	To connect the USB cable.
5	Regulatory rating label	Lists the regulatory approvals.
6	Cable management slot	To organize cables by placing them through the slot.

Side View



Bottom View



Bottom view

Label	Description
1	DC power cord connector
2	Audio Line-in
3	Audio Line-out
4	HDMI connector
5	DVI connector
6	VGA connector
7	USB upstream port
8	USB downstream ports (2)

Monitor Specifications

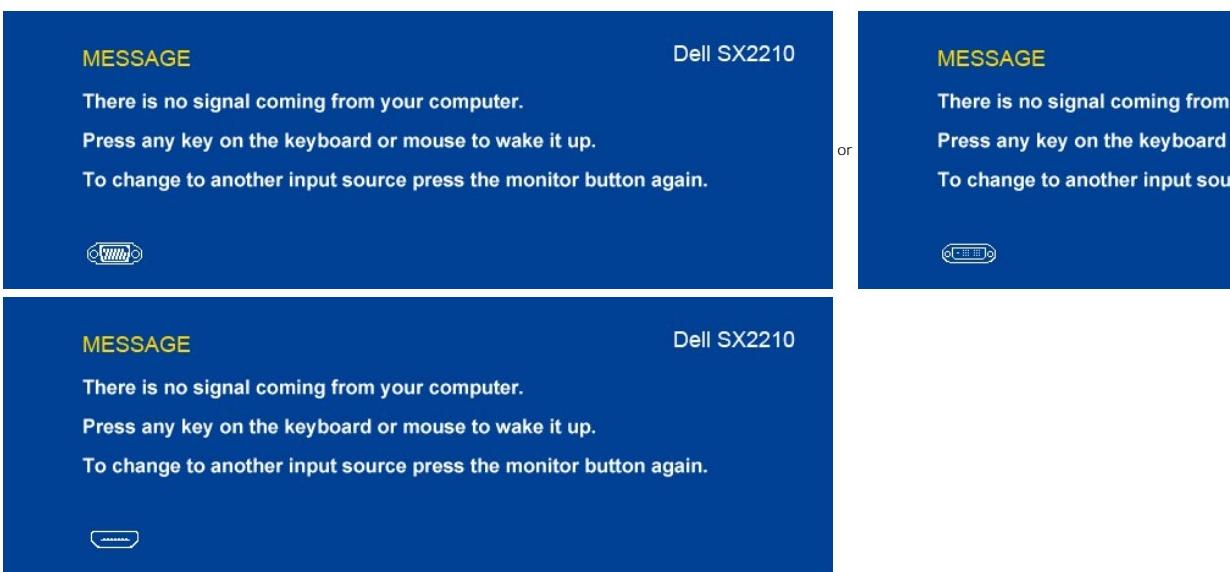
The following sections give you information about the various power management modes and pin assignments for various connectors of your monitor.

Power Management Modes

If you have VESA's compliance display card or software installed in your PC, the monitor can automatically reduce its power consumption when not in use. This is referred to as *Power Save Mode*. If the computer detects input from keyboard, mouse, or other input devices, the monitor automatically resumes functioning. The following table shows the power consumption and signaling of this automatic power saving feature:

VESA Modes	Horizontal Sync	Vertical Sync	Video	Power Indicator	Power Consumption
Normal operation and USB active	Active	Active	Active	White	58 W (maximum)
Normal operation	Active	Active	Active	White	47 W (typical)
Active-off mode	Inactive	Inactive	Blanked	Amber	0.84 W
Switch off	-	-	-	Off	0.74 W

NOTE: The OSD functions in the 'Normal operation' mode. One of the following messages appears when the menu key is touched in Active-off mode.



Activate the computer and 'wake up' the monitor to gain access to the [OSD](#).



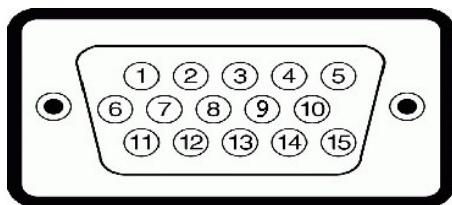
NOTE: This monitor is ENERGY STAR®-compliant.



Zero power consumption in OFF mode can only be achieved by disconnecting the main cable from the power adapter.

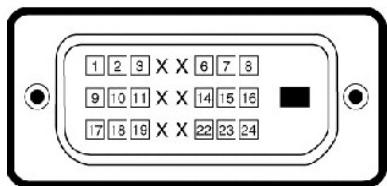
Pin Assignments

VGA Connector



Pin Number	15-pin Side of the Connected Signal Cable
1	Video-Red
2	Video-Green
3	Video-Blue
4	GND
5	Self-test
6	GND-R
7	GND-G
8	GND-B
9	Computer 5V
10	GND-sync
11	GND
12	DDC data
13	H-sync
14	V-sync
15	DDC clock

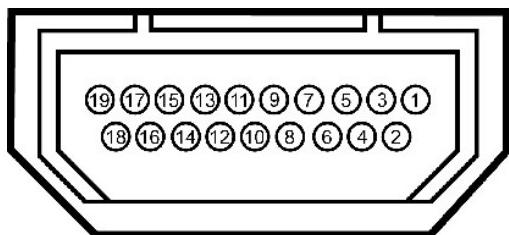
DVI Connector



Pin Number	24-pin Side of the Connected Signal Cable
1	TMDS RX2-
2	TMDS RX2+
3	TMDS Ground
4	Floating
5	Floating
6	DDC Clock
7	DDC Data
8	Floating
9	TMDS RX1-
10	TMDS RX1+
11	TMDS Ground
12	Floating

13	Floating
14	+5V power
15	Self test
16	Hot Plug Detect
17	TMDS RX0-
18	TMDS RX0+
19	TMDS Ground
20	Floating
21	Floating
22	TMDS Ground
23	TMDS Clock+
24	TMDS Clock-

HDMI Connector



Pin Number	19-pin Side of the Connected Signal Cable
1	T.M.D.S. Data 2-
2	T.M.D.S. Data 2 Shield
3	T.M.D.S. Data 2+
4	T.M.D.S. Data 1 +
5	T.M.D.S. Data 1 Shield
6	T.M.D.S. Data 1 -
7	T.M.D.S. Data 0 +
8	T.M.D.S. Data 0 Shield
9	T.M.D.S. Data 0 -
10	T.M.D.S. Clock +
11	T.M.D.S. Clock Shield
12	T.M.D.S. Clock -
13	CEC
14	Reserved (N.C. on device)
15	SCL
16	SDA
17	DDC/CEC Ground
18	+5V Power
19	Hot Plug Detect

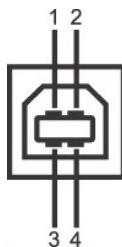
Universal Serial Bus (USB) Interface

This section gives you information about the USB ports that are available on the left side of your monitor.

 **NOTE:** This monitor supports High-Speed Certified USB 2.0 interface

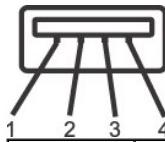
Transfer speed	Data Rate	Power Consumption
High speed	480 Mbps	2.5W (Max., each port)
Full speed	12 Mbps	2.5W (Max., each port)
Low speed	1.5 Mbps	2.5W (Max., each port)

USB Upstream Connector



Pin Number	4-pin Side of the connector
1	DMU
2	VCC
3	DPU
4	GND

USB Downstream Connector



Pin Number	4-Pin Side of the Signal Cable
1	VCC
2	DMD
3	DPD
4	GND

USB Ports

- 1 upstream - back
- 2 downstream at back & 2 downstream at bottom

NOTE: USB 2.0 functionality requires a USB 2.0-capable computer

NOTE: The monitor's USB interface works only when the monitor is on or in power save mode. If you turn off the monitor and then turn it on, the attached ports resume normal functionality.

Camera - MIC Specifications

Overview

The integrated USB camera and analog microphones allow you to take pictures, videos, and communicate with other computer users. The camera is located at the top of the monitor and is fixed. However, the camera's software--**Dell Webcam Software** suite, provides limited panning abilities. When the camera is on, the white light next to the camera turns on.

Lens	Field of view	66.2 degree +/- 5 %
	Focus mode	Fixed Focus
	Focus area	37 cm ~ Infinity
	Focusing distance (normal mode)	1.100 mm
Image Sensor	Active array size	2.0 mega-pixel
Video specification	Video frame rate	1600 x 1200 (UXGA) - up to 10 frames per second 640 x 480 (VGA) and below - up to 30 frames per second
	Image flip	Horizontally
	Digital zoom	2x
Audio Specification	Microphone type	Dual Microphone
Interface		USB 2.0 high Speed
Power Supply		3.3 volts +/- 5%

System Requirements

The following are the minimum system requirements for the Dell Webcam Software Suite:

- 1 Intel® Pentium® 4 or AMD® equivalent processor running at 2.4 GHz or higher
(Recommended: Intel Pentium Core 2 Duo E4300 or AMD equivalent processor running at 2.8 GHz with Hyper-Threading enabled)
- 1 Microsoft® Windows® XP Service Pack 2 or Windows Vista®
- 1 256 MB RAM (2 GB RAM or higher recommended)
- 1 580 MB free hard disk space

- i Available USB 2.0 port or a USB 2.0 hub with external power supply

Dell Webcam Software Suite

The Dell Webcam Software Suite includes the following applications:

Dell Webcam Centre

Dell Webcam Central enables convenient access to all exciting applications to enhance your Dell Webcam experience.

Creative Live! Cam Avatar Creator

Creative Live! Cam Avatar Creator lets you personalize an animated avatar from any digital photo you want. Using advanced speech technology, your personalized avatar even lip syncs with you. Share creation with friends using Live! Cam Avatar, via email or even YouTube™.

Facial Recognition Software (FastAccess)

Face recognition technology greatly reduces the need to manually log in with passwords, while providing superior security and functionality compared to passwords and other biometrics (for Windows Vista® only).

Plug and Play Capability

You can install the monitor in any Plug and Play-compatible system. The monitor automatically provides the computer system with its Extended Display Identification Data (EDID) using Display Data Channel (DDC) protocols so the system can configure itself and optimize the monitor settings. Most monitor installations are automatic; you can select different settings if desired. For more information about changing the monitor settings, see [Operating the Monitor](#).

Flat Panel Specifications

Screen type	Active matrix - TFT LCD
Panel Type	TN
Screen dimensions	21.5 inches (21.5-inch viewable image size)
Preset display area:	
Horizontal:	476.64 mm (18.76 inches)
Vertical:	268.11 mm (10.56 inches)
Pixel pitch	0.248 mm
Viewing angle	160° (vertical) typical, 170° (horizontal) typical
Luminance output	300 CD/m² (typical)
Contrast ratio	1000:1 (typical)
Dynamic contrast ratio	50,000:1 (max)
Faceplate coating	Glare with hard-coating (3H)
Backlight	CCFL edgelight system
Response Time	2 ms typical (Grey to Grey)
Color Depth	16.7 mil colors
Color Gamut	85%*

* SX2210 color gamut (typical) is based on CIE1976 (85%) and CIE1931 (72%) test standards.

Resolution Specifications

Horizontal scan range	30 kHz to 83 kHz (automatic)
Vertical scan range	50 Hz to 76 Hz (automatic)
Optimal preset resolution	1920 x 1080 at 60 Hz
Highest preset resolution	1920 x 1080 at 60 Hz

Video Supported Modes

Video display capabilities (DVI playback)	480i/480p/576i/576p/720p/1080i/1080p (Supports HDCP)
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Preset Display Modes

Display Mode	Horizontal Frequency (kHz)	Vertical Frequency (Hz)	Pixel Clock (MHz)	Sync Polarity (Horizontal/Vertical)
640 x 350	31.47	70.09	25.18	+/-
640 x 400	31.47	70.09	25.18	-/+
640 x 480	31.47	59.94	25.17	-/-
640 x 480	31.50	75.00	31.5	-/-
720 x 400	31.47	70.08	28.32	-/+
800 x 600	37.88	60.32	40.00	+/-
800 x 600	46.880	75.00	49.50	+/-
1024 x 768	48.36	60.00	65.00	-/-
1024 x 768	60.02	75.03	78.75	+/-
1152 x 864	67.50	75.00	108.00	+/-
1280 x 1024	63.98	60.02	108.00	+/-
1280 x 1024	79.98	75.02	135.00	+/-
1920 x 1080-R	66.587	59.934	138.50	+/-
1920 x 1080	55.62	49.92	141.50	-/+

Electrical Specifications

Video input signals	Analog RGB, 0.7 Volts +/- 5%, positive polarity at 75 ohm input impedance Digital DVI-D TMDS, HDMI, 600mV for each differential line, positive polarity at 50 ohm input impedance
Audio Input and Output signals	Input signal level: 1Vrms without chipping
Synchronization input signals	Separate horizontal and vertical synchronizations, polarity-free TTL level, SOG (Composite SYNC on green)
AC/DC Adaptor input voltage/frequency/current	100 to 240 VAC/50 or 60 Hz \pm 3 Hz/1.6A (Max.)  For use only with power supply DELL, DA65NS4-00.
Inrush current	120 V: 30 A (Max.) 240 V: 60 A (Max.)

Physical Characteristics

Connector type	15-pin D-sub miniature, blue connector; DVI-D, white connector; HDMI, Black connector
Signal cable type	Digital: Detachable, DVI-D, Solid pins, shipped detached from the monitor Analog: Detachable, D-Sub, 15pins, shipped attached to the monitor HDMI: Detachable, HDMI-A, Solid pins, shipped without cable
Dimensions (with stand)	
Height	382.59 mm (15.63 inches)
Width	529.93 mm (20.86 inches)

Depth	179.62 mm (7.07 inches)
Dimensions (without stand)	
Height	321.55 mm (12.66 inches)
Width	529.93 mm (20.86 inches)
Depth	83.29 mm (3.28 inches)
Stand dimensions	
Height	250.61 mm (9.67 inches)
Width	215.28 mm (8.48 inches)
Depth	179.62 mm (7.07 inches)
Weight	
Weight with packaging	7.5 kg (16.53 Lbs)
Weight with stand assembly and cables	4.5 kg (9.92 Lbs)

Environmental Characteristics

Temperature	
Operating	0° to 40° C (32° to 104°F)
Non-operating	Storage: -20° to 60° C (-4° to 140° F) Shipping: -20° to 60° C (-4° to 140° F)
Humidity	
Operating	10% to 80% (non-condensing)
Non-operating	Storage: 20% to 80% (non-condensing) Shipping: 20% to 80% (non-condensing)
Altitude	
Operating	3,657.60 m (12,000 ft) max
Non-operating	12,192 m (40,000 ft) max
Thermal dissipation	222.3 BTU/hour (maximum) 188.1 BTU/hour (typical)

Maintenance Guidelines

Cleaning Your Monitor

-  **CAUTION:** Read and follow the [safety instructions](#) before cleaning the monitor.
-  **CAUTION:** Before cleaning the monitor, unplug the monitor power cable from the electrical outlet.

For best practices, follow the instructions in the list below while unpacking, cleaning, or handling your monitor:

- 1 To clean your antistatic screen, lightly dampen a soft, clean cloth with water. If possible, use a special screen-cleaning tissue or solution suitable for the antistatic coating. Do not use benzene, thinner, ammonia, abrasive cleaners, or compressed air.
- 1 Use a lightly-dampened, warm cloth to clean the monitor. Avoid using detergent of any kind as some detergents leave a milky film on the monitor.
- 1 If you notice white powder when you unpack your monitor, wipe it off with a cloth.
- 1 Handle your monitor with care as a dark-colored monitor may scratch and show white scuff marks more than a light-colored monitor.
- 1 To help maintain the best image quality on your monitor, use a dynamically changing screen saver and turn off your monitor when not in use.

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⚠ CAUTION: Safety Instructions

 CAUTION: Use of controls, adjustments, or procedures other than those specified in this documentation may result in exposure to shock, electrical hazards, and/or mechanical hazards.

For information on safety instructions, see the safety information that shipped with your monitor.

FCC Notices (U.S. Only) and Other Regulatory Information

For FCC notices and other regulatory information, see the regulatory compliance website located at www.dell.com/regulatory_compliance.

Contacting Dell

For customers in the United States, call 800-WWW-DELL (800-999-3355).

 NOTE: If you do not have an active Internet connection, you can find contact information on your purchase invoice, packing slip, bill, or Dell product catalog.

Dell provides several online and telephone-based support and service options. Availability varies by country and product, and some services may not be available in your area. To contact Dell for sales, technical support, or customer service issues:

1. Visit support.dell.com.
 2. Verify your country or region in the **Choose A Country/Region** drop-down menu at the bottom of the page.
 3. Click **Contact Us** on the left side of the page.
 4. Select the appropriate service or support link based on your need.
 5. Choose the method of contacting Dell that is convenient for you.
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If you have a Dell™ desktop or a Dell™ portable computer with internet access

1. Go to <http://support.dell.com>, enter your service tag, and download the latest driver for your graphics card.
2. After installing the drivers for your graphics Adapter, attempt to set the resolution to **1920 X 1080** again.

 **NOTE:** If you are unable to set the resolution to 1920 x 1080, please contact Dell™ to inquire about a graphics Adapter that supports these resolutions.

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If you have a non Dell™ desktop, portable computer, or graphics card

1. Right-click on the desktop and click **Properties**.
2. Select the **Settings** tab.
3. Select **Advanced**.
4. Identify your graphics controller supplier from the description at the top of the window (e.g. NVIDIA, ATI, Intel etc.).
5. Refer to the graphic card provider website for updated driver (for example, <http://www.ATI.com> OR <http://www.NVIDIA.com>).
6. After installing the drivers for your graphics adapter, attempt to set the resolution to **1920 X 1080** again.

 **NOTE:** If you are unable to set the resolution to 1920 x 1080, please contact the manufacturer of your computer or consider purchasing a graphics adapter that will support the video resolution of 1920 x 1080.

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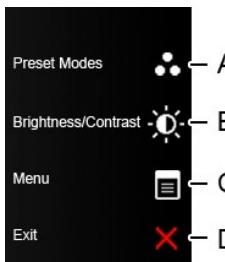
Turn On the Monitor

Press the  button to turn on the monitor

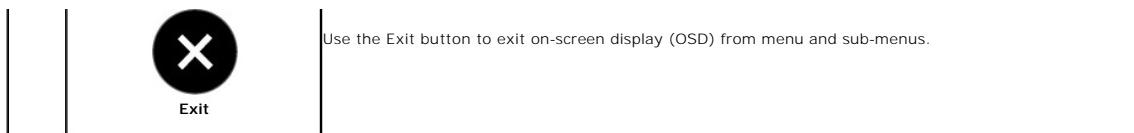


Using the Front Panel Controls

Use the buttons on the front of the monitor to adjust the image settings.



Front panel button	Description
A  Preset modes	Use the Preset modes button to choose from a list of preset color modes. See Using the OSD Menu .
B  Brightness / Contrast	Use the Brightness / Contrast button to direct access to the "Brightness" and "Contrast" control menu.
C  Menu	Use the Menu button to open the on-screen display OSD).
D	



Front panel button

[Use the buttons](#) on the side of the monitor to adjust the image settings.



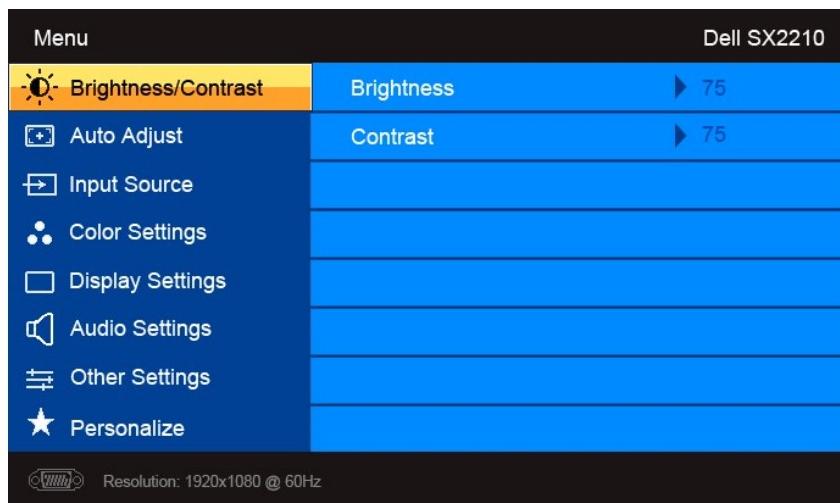
Front panel Button		Description
A		Use the Up button to adjust (increase ranges) items in the OSD menu.
B		Use the Down button to adjust (decrease ranges) items in the OSD menu.
C		Use the OK button to confirm your selection.
D		Use the back button to back main menu.

Using the On-Screen Display (OSD) Menu

Accessing the Menu System

NOTE: If you change the settings and then either proceed to another menu or exit the OSD menu, the monitor automatically saves the changes. The changes are also saved if you change the settings and then wait for the OSD menu to disappear.

1. Press any key to launch the OSD menu and press to display the main menu.
Main Menu

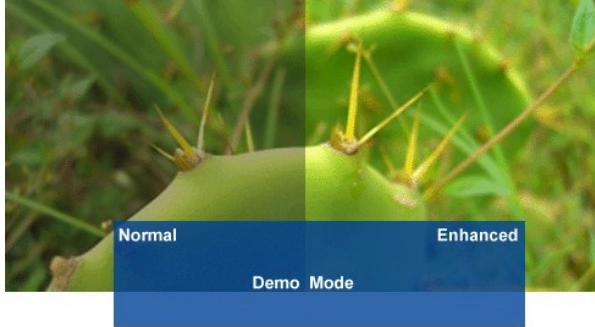


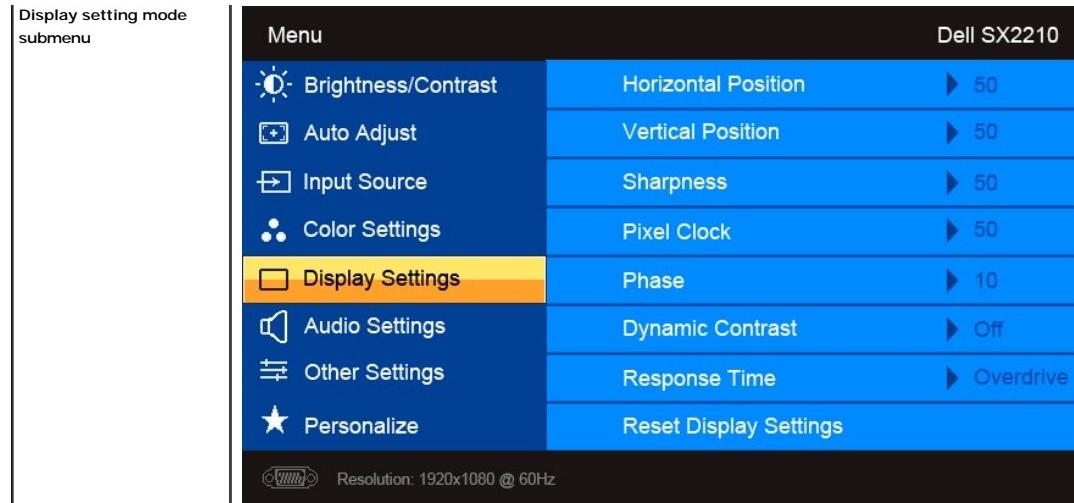
2. Press the **▼** and **▲** buttons to toggle between options in the Menu. As you move from one icon to another, the option name is highlighted.
3. To select the highlighted item on the menu press the **✓** again.
4. Press the **▼** and **▲** buttons to select the desired parameter.
5. Press the **✓** buttons to enter the slide bar and then use the **▼** or **▲** button, according to the indicators on the menu, to make your changes.
6. Select the **◀** to return to previous menu without accepting current settings or **✓** to accept and return to previous menu.

The table below provides a list of all the OSD menu options and their functions.

Icon	Menu and Submenus	Description
	BRIGHTNESS/CONTRAST	Use the Brightness and Contrast menu to adjust the Brightness/Contrast.
	Back	Press the ◀ button to go back to the main menu.
	Brightness	Allows you to adjust the brightness or luminance of the backlight. Press the ▲ button to increase brightness and press the ▼ button to decrease brightness (min 0 ~ max 100).
	Contrast	Allows you to adjust the contrast or the degree of difference between darkness and lightness on the monitor screen. A brightness first, and adjust contrast only if you need further adjustment. Press the ▲ button to increase contrast and press the ▼ button to decrease contrast (min 0 ~ max 100).
	Auto Adjust	Use this button to activate automatic setup and adjust menu. The following dialog appears on a black screen as the monitor adjusts to the current input:

		<p style="text-align: center;">Auto Adjustment in Progress...</p> <p>Auto Adjustment allows the monitor to self-adjust to the incoming video signal. After using Auto Adjustment, you can fine-tune your monitor by using the Pixel Clock (Coarse) and Phase (Fine) controls under Image Settings.</p> <p>NOTE: Auto Adjust does not occur if you press the button while there are no active video input signals or attached cables.</p>
	Input Source	<p>Use the Input Source menu to select different video signals that may be connected to your monitor.</p>  <p>Press the  button to go back to the main menu</p> <p>Select VGA input when you are using the analog (VGA) connector. Press the  button to select the VGA input source.</p> <p>Select DVI-D input when you are using the digital (DVI) connector. Press the  button to select the DVI input source.</p> <p>Select HDMI input when you are using the digital (HDMI) connector. Press the  button to select the HDMI input source.</p> <p>Select Auto select to let the monitor search for available input signals.</p>
	COLOR SETTINGS Color setting mode submenu	<p>Use the Color Setting menu to adjust the monitor's color settings.</p> 

	Back	Press the  button to go back to the main menu.
	Input Color Format	Allows you to set the video input mode to: RGB : Select this option if your monitor is connected to a computer or DVD player using the HDMI cable or the HDMI adapter. YPbPr : Select this option if your DVD player supports only YPbPr output.
	Mode Selection	Allows you to set the display mode to: Graphics : Select this mode if your monitor is connected to your computer. Video : Select this mode if your monitor is connected to a DVD player. NOTE: Depending upon the Display Mode you select the Preset Modes available for your monitor change.
	Preset Mode	Allows you to choose from a list of preset color modes. In the Graphics mode, you can set the color to the following preset values: Standard : Loads the monitor's default color settings. This is the default preset mode. Multimedia : Loads color settings ideal for multimedia applications. Game : Loads color settings ideal for most gaming applications. Warm : Increases the color temperature. The screen appears warmer with a red/yellow tint. Cool : Decreases the color temperature. The screen appears cooler with a blue tint. Custom (RGB) : Allows you to manually adjust the color settings. Press the  and  buttons to adjust the Red and Blue values and create your own preset color mode. In the Video mode, you can set the color to the following preset values: Movie : Loads color settings ideal for movies. This is the default preset mode. Game : Loads color settings ideal for most gaming applications. Sports : Loads color settings ideal for sports. Nature : Loads color settings ideal for nature.
	Hue	Allows you to adjust the skin tone of the image. Use  or  button to adjust the hue from '0' to '100'. NOTE: Hue adjustment is available only in the Video mode.
	Saturation	Allows you to adjust the color saturation of the image. Use  or  button to adjust the saturation from '0' to '100'. NOTE: Saturation adjustment is available only in the Video mode.
	Demo Mode	Vertically splits the screen into two segments. The left half of the screen in the normal mode and the right half of the screen displayed in the color enhanced mode.  NOTE: Demo Mode is only available for video input. Resets your monitor's color settings to the factory defaults.
	DISPLAY SETTINGS	



Back

Press the button to go back to the main menu.

Horizontal position

Use the and buttons to adjust image left and right (min 0 ~ max 100).
NOTE: When using DVI or HDMI source, the Horizontal Position setting is not available.

Vertical Position

Use the and buttons to adjust image up and down (min 0 ~ max 100).
NOTE: When using DVI or HDMI source, the Vertical Position setting is not available.

Pixel Clock

The Phase and Pixel Clock adjustments allow you to adjust your monitor to your preference. These settings are access main OSD menu, by selecting 'Display Settings'.

Use the and buttons to adjust for best image quality.

Phase

If satisfactory results are not obtained using the phase adjustment, use the Pixel Clock (coarse) adjustment and then (fine).

NOTE: Pixel Clock and Phase Adjustments are only available for "VGA" input.

Sharpness

Allows you to increase or decrease the sharpness of the image.

Use and buttons to adjust the sharpness from '0' to '100'.

Dynamic Contrast

The dynamic contrast helps get a higher contrast if you choose Game preset, Movie preset, Sports preset and Nature p

Use the button to enable the Dynamic Contrast adjustment.

Use the button to disable the Dynamic Contrast adjustment.

NOTE: Brightness control is disabled in Dynamic Contrast mode.

Response Time

Response time is the time required for an LCD pixel to change from fully active (black) to fully inactive (white), then back again.

You can set the response time to:

- Normal**
- Overdrive** (default).

Reset Display Settings

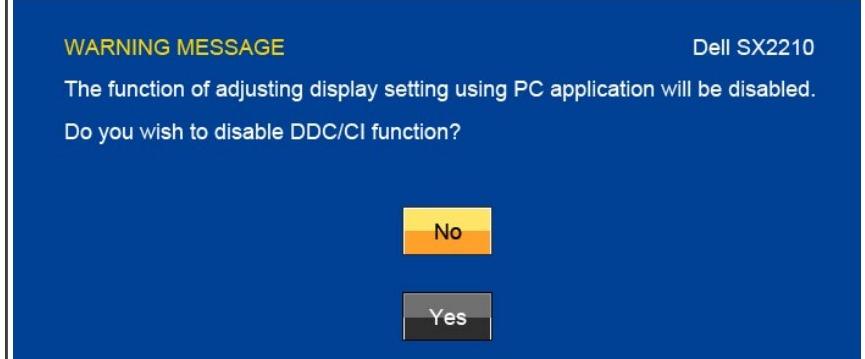
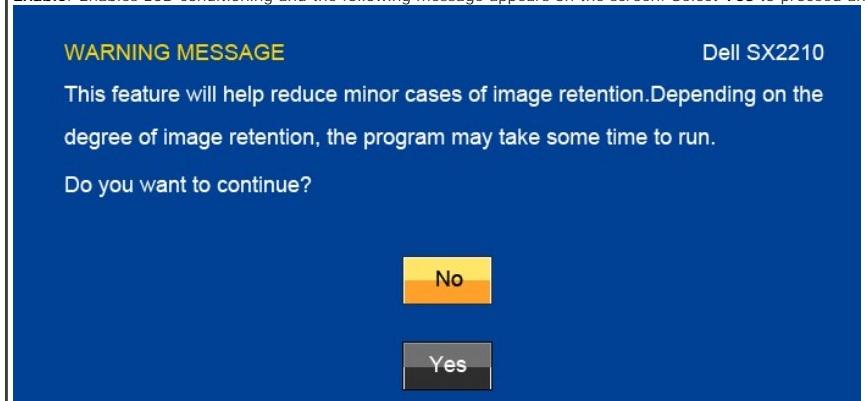
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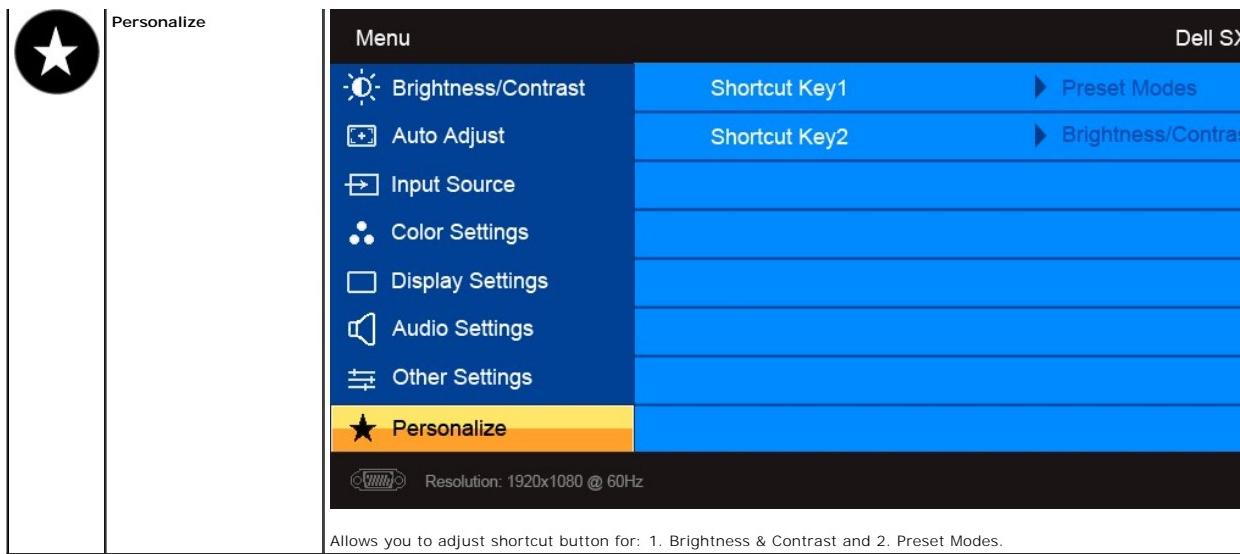


AUDIO SETTINGS

Use the **Audio Settings** menu to adjust the audio settings.

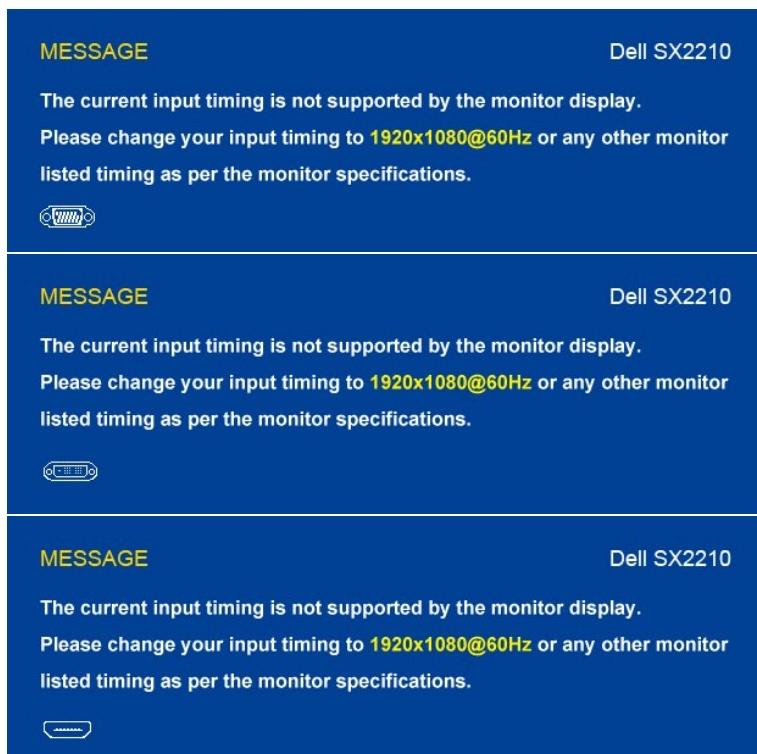
	<p>Audio Setting mode submenu</p>  <p>Dell SX2210</p>
Line Out Source	Select the source of the audio input.
Power Save Audio	Allows you to turn on or off the power to the audio during the audio power save mode. Default is "On". On — Allows you to turn off the line-out to the sound bar during monitor standby. Off — Allows you to turn on the line-out to the sound bar during monitor standby.
Reset Audio Setting	Resets your monitor audio settings to the factory defaults.
Exit Menu	Press the  button to exit the OSD main menu and Press the  button to accept changes.
 OTHER SETTINGS	 <p>Dell SX</p> <p>Back Press the  button to go back to the main menu.</p> <p>Language Allows you to set the OSD display to one of six languages: English, Espanol, Francais, Deutsch, Simplified Chinese or Japanese.</p> <p>Menu Transparency Allows you to adjust the OSD background from opaque to transparent.</p> <p>Menu Timer Allows you to set the time for which the OSD remains active after you press a button on the monitor. Use the  and  buttons to adjust the slider in 1 second increments, from 5 to 60 seconds.</p> <p>Menu Lock Controls user access to adjustments. When Lock is selected, no user adjustments are allowed. All buttons are locked until the next power-on. NOTE: When the OSD is locked, pressing the  button takes you directly to the OSD settings menu, with 'OSD Lock' on entry. Choose "Unlock" and allow user access to all applicable settings.</p>

DDC/CI	<p>DDC/CI (Display Data Channel/Command Interface) allows a software on your computer to adjust the monitor display such as the brightness, color balance etc.</p> <p>Enable (Default): Optimizes the performance of your monitor and provides a better customer experience.</p> <p>Disable: Disables the DDC/CI option and the following message appears on the screen.</p>  <p>The image shows a blue warning dialog box titled "WARNING MESSAGE" for the Dell SX2210 monitor. It contains the text: "The function of adjusting display setting using PC application will be disabled." followed by "Do you wish to disable DDC/CI function?". At the bottom are two buttons: "No" (orange) and "Yes" (grey).</p> <p>Select Yes to disable DDC/CI or No to return.</p>
LCD Conditioning	<p>LCD conditioning helps eliminate any image retention and may take several hours.</p> <p>NOTE: Severe cases of image retention are known as burn-in. LCD Conditioning does not remove burn-in.</p> <p>Disable: This is the default option.</p> <p>Enable: Enables LCD conditioning and the following message appears on the screen. Select Yes to proceed and No to return.</p>  <p>The image shows a blue warning dialog box titled "WARNING MESSAGE" for the Dell SX2210 monitor. It contains the text: "This feature will help reduce minor cases of image retention. Depending on the degree of image retention, the program may take some time to run." followed by "Do you want to continue?". At the bottom are two buttons: "No" (orange) and "Yes" (grey).</p> <p>NOTE: Press any button on the monitor to terminate LCD Conditioning at any time.</p>  <p>The image shows a blue message box containing the text: "LCD Conditioning is currently in progress. Press any button on the monitor to terminate LCD Conditioning at any time."</p>
Factory Reset	<p>Resets all OSD settings to the factory preset values.</p>



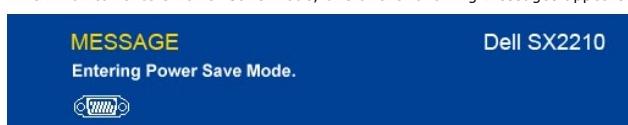
OSD Warning Messages

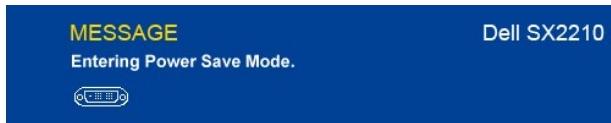
The following warning messages may appear on the screen to indicate that the monitor is out of synchronization.



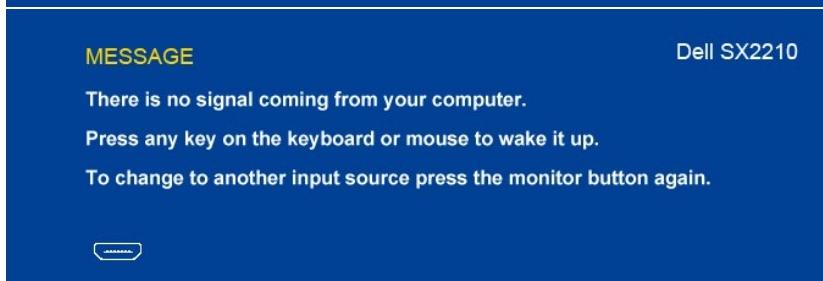
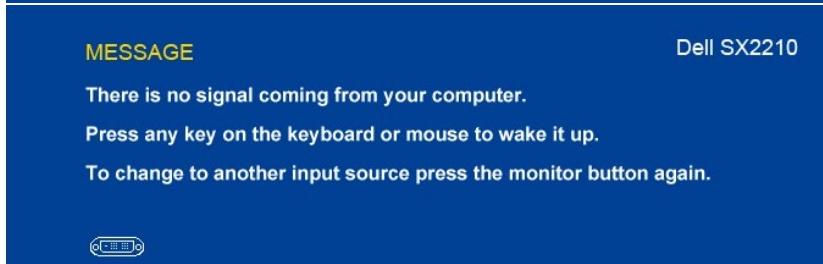
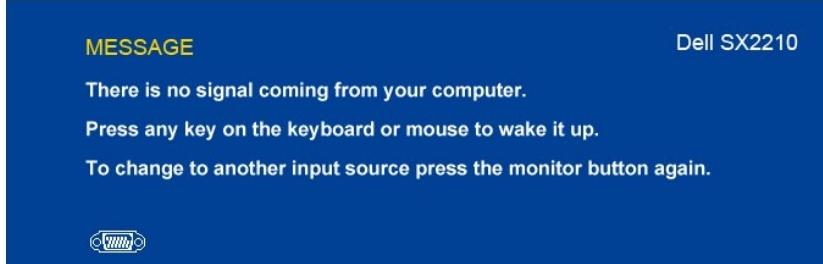
This means that the monitor cannot synchronize with the signal that it is receiving from the computer. Either the signal is too high or too low for the monitor to use. See [Specifications](#) for the Horizontal and Vertical frequency ranges addressable by this monitor. Recommended mode is 1920 X 1080 at 60Hz.

When monitor enters Power Save mode, one of the following messages appears :





If you press any button other than the Power button one of the following messages will appear depending on the selected input:



See [Solving Problems](#) for more information.

Setting the Maximum Resolution

To set the maximum resolution for the monitor:

1. Right-click on the desktop and select **Properties**.
2. Select the **Settings** tab.
3. Set the screen resolution to 1920 x 1080.
4. Click **OK**.

If you do not see 1920 x 1080 as an option, you may need to update your graphics driver. Depending on your computer, complete one of the following procedures:

1. If you have a Dell desktop or portable computer:
 - o Go to [support.dell.com](#), enter your service tag, and download the latest driver for your graphics card.
1. If you are using a non-Dell computer (portable or desktop):
 - o Go to the support site for your computer and download the latest graphic drivers.
 - o Go to your graphics card website and download the latest graphic drivers.

Using the Dell Soundbar (Optional)

The Dell Soundbar is a stereo two channel system, mountable on Dell Flat Panel Displays. The Soundbar has a rotary volume and on/off control to adjust the

overall system level, a LED for power indication, and two audio headset jacks.

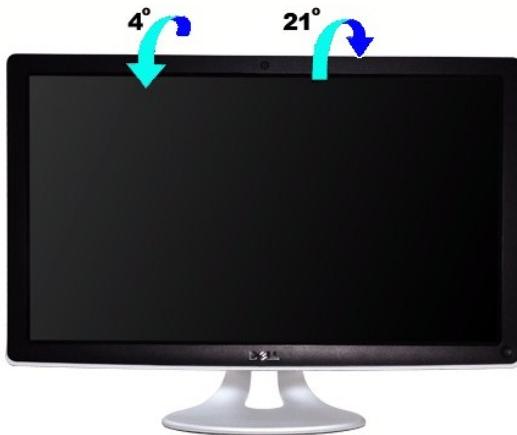


1.	Power/volume control
2.	Power indicator
3.	Headphone connectors

Using the Tilt

Tilt

With the built-in pedestal, you can tilt the monitor for the most comfortable viewing angle.



 **NOTE:** The stand is attached when the monitor is shipped from the factory.

Using the Camera

Installing the Dell Webcam Software (Microsoft® Windows® Operating Systems)

The Dell SX2210 webcam application media that ships with your monitor, allows you to install the software and drivers for the integrated webcam.

To install the **Dell Webcam Software**:

1. Insert the Dell "Drivers and Documentation" CD into the drive.
-  **NOTE:** Ensure that the USB cable is connected between the monitor and the computer.
2. Choose "**Webcam Software**".
3. The **Install Shield Wizard** automatically launches the setup application. Select the **Language** and click **Next** to continue.
4. Read **Software License Agreement** and click **Yes** to continue.
5. Click **Browse** to change **Destination Folder** where the software will be installed to and then click **Next** to continue.
6. Choose **Full Installation** than click **Next** and follow the instructions to complete the installation. Alternatively, choose **Custom Installation** to select the components to install.
7. Click **Finish** to restart the computer after installation completes.

You are now ready to use the Webcam.

Accessing the Camera Help File

To access the camera's help file, right-click the Dell Webcam Central icon in the notification area and click. Click **Help** from the menu and select **Contents**.



Manually Adjusting the Camera Settings

If you do not want the camera to use automatic settings, you can manually adjust the camera settings.

Setting the Contrast, Brightness, and Volume

To set the contrast, brightness and volume:

1. Right-click the **Webcam Central** icon in the system tray located in the lower right corner of the screen. Click **Open Webcam Central**.
2. In the Webcam Console window:
 - Click the **Settings** icon and navigate to **Settings - Picture Control**. Adjust video settings, such as contrast and brightness.
 - Click the **Effects** icon and navigate to **Effects - Avatars**. Adjust audio settings, such as volume level.

For more information about camera settings and other camera-related topics, see the camera's Help file (see [Accessing the Camera's Help File](#)).

Setting the Resolution

To set the camera resolution using the **Dell Webcam Central**:

1. Right-click the **Dell Webcam Central** icon in the system tray located in the lower right corner of the screen. Click **Launch Webcam Center**. The Dell Webcam Center window appears.
2. Click the **Record Video** tab.
3. Configure settings by clicking the **More Options** button located at the bottom center of the preview window. Click the **Video Size** box and select the size th want.
4. Click the **Snap Photo** tab.
5. Configure settings by clicking the **More Options** button located at the bottom center of the preview window. Click the **Photo Size** box and select the size th want.

Resetting the Camera Defaults

To reset the **Camera** settings using the **Dell Webcam Central**:

1. Right-click the **Dell Webcam Central** icon in the system tray located in the lower right corner of the screen. Click **Open Webcam Central**.
2. In the Webcam Central window:
 - Click the **Settings** icon and navigate to **Settings - Picture Control**. Click **Restore Default**.

Installing and Using the Facial Recognition Software (FastAccess)

Installing the Facial Recognition Software (FastAccess) (Windows Vista® Operating Systems Only)

To install the **Facial Recognition Software (FastAccess)**:

1. Insert the Dell "**Drivers and Documentation**" CD into the drive.
2. **NOTE:** Ensure that the USB cable is connected between the monitor and the computer.
3. Choose "**Facial Recognition Software**".
4. The **Install Shield Wizard** automatically launches the setup application. Select the **Language** and click **Next** to continue.
5. Read **Software License Agreement** and click **Yes** to continue.
6. Click **Browse** to change **Destination Folder** where the software will be installed to and then click **Next** to continue.
7. Choose **Full Installation** than click **Next** and follow the instructions to complete the installation. Alternatively, choose **Custom Installation** to select the

components to install.

7. Click **Finish** to restart the computer after installation completes.

You are now ready to use the Facial Recognition Software.

First Use

1. From the Start Menu: click Start→All Programs→FastAccess→Configure FastAccess.
2. Follow the on-screen setup wizard to begin using FastAccess face recognition.
3. FastAccess automatically learns your face when you login to Vista. You will be able to log in to your computer automatically on most occasions, without having to enter a password.

Customizing FastAccess

To help keep FastAccess secure, features affecting overall system security and certain advanced features can only be changed if you have Vista administrator rights.

- | Configuration Console: Allows changing the Security Level, Web Logins and Advanced features. Only administrator accounts have access to the Configuration Console.
- | User Settings: Allows changing Web Logins and Notification Messages. Only Vista user accounts have access to User Settings.

Configuration Console: Security

The main security features of FastAccess are controlled by the Security Level Adjustment slider. As you move the slider from left to right, you turn on FastAccess and add increasing levels of security. As you move this slider, a brief description of the operating modes are displayed below the slider. You may set the following four security levels:

1. Disabled
2. Face Login (Factory default setting)
3. User Switching
4. Continuous Security

OK button: This button closes the Console and saves all changes.

Cancel button: This button closes the Console without saving any changes.

Choosing the Desired Webcam for Face Recognition

- | **Automatic Webcam Selection:** Automatic Webcam Selection simplifies operation if more than one webcam is installed on your computer. FastAccess connects to a Dell Monitor webcam first.
- | **Manual Webcam Selection:** Your desired webcam can be selected by opening the "FastAccess Configuration Console" and clicking the "Advanced" button. Next click the "Camera Selection" link and select the desired webcam.

Using the Automatic Web Login

The Web Login Vault feature allows FastAccess to remember user names and passwords for many of the websites that require a login. The Web Login Vault will automatically enter the user name and password for a website.

The first time you enter a user name and password into a website with a login, FastAccess will present a small pop-up box. This box allows you to Keep On or Turn Off the Web Login Vault.

Security Recommendations

We recommend FastAccess be set to use the "Face + Password" feature. Face + Password periodically requires your password in addition to your face. This provides better security than any biometric or password alone.

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Setting the display resolution to 1920 x 1080 (Maximum)

For optimal display performance while using the Microsoft® Windows® operating systems, set the display resolution to 1920 x 1080 pixels by performing the following steps:

1. Right-click on the desktop and click **Properties**.
2. Select the **Settings** tab.
3. Move the slider-bar to the right by pressing and holding left-mouse button and adjust the screen resolution to **1920 X 1080**.
4. Click **OK**.

If you do not see **1920 x 1080** as an option, you may need to update your graphics driver. Please choose the scenario below that best describes the computer system you are using, and follow the provided directions:

- 1: If you have a Dell™ desktop or a Dell™ portable computer with internet access.**
 - 2: If you have a non Dell™ desktop, portable computer, or graphics card.**
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Connecting Your Monitor

CAUTION: Before you begin any of the procedures in this section, follow the [Safety Instructions](#).

To connect your monitor to the computer:

1. Turn off your computer and disconnect the power cable.
2. Connect the HDMI cable, white (digital DVI-D), or blue (analog VGA) display connector cable to the corresponding video port on the back of your computer. Do not use all the cables on the same computer. Use all of the cables only when they are connected to different computers with appropriate video systems.

Connecting the Blue VGA Cable



Connecting the White DVI Cable



Connecting the HDMI Cable



 **NOTE:** The graphics are used for the purpose of illustration only. Appearance of the computer may vary.

Connecting the USB Cable

After you have completed connecting the DVI/VGA/HDMI cable, follow the procedure below to connect the USB cable to the computer and complete your monitor setup:

1. Connect the downstream USB port (cable supplied) to an appropriate USB port on your computer.
2. Connect USB peripherals to the upstream USB ports on the monitor.
3. **Plug the power cables for your computer and monitor into a nearby outlet.**
4. Turn on the monitor and the computer.
If your monitor displays an image, installation is complete. If it does not display an image, see [Solving Problems](#).
5. Use the cable holder on the monitor stand to organize the cables.



Organizing Your Cables



After attaching all necessary cables to your monitor and computer, (see [Connecting Your Monitor](#)) use the cable management slot to organize all cables as shown above.

Attaching the Soundbar (Optional)



 **NOTICE:** Do not use with any device other than the Dell Soundbar.

To attach the soundbar:

1. Working from the back of the monitor, attach Soundbar by aligning the two slots with the two tabs along the bottom of the monitor.

2. Slide the Soundbar to the left until it snaps into place.
 3. Connect the Soundbar with the DC power connector from the Soundbar Power adapter.
 4. Insert the mini stereo plug from the back of the Soundbar into the computer's audio output jack.
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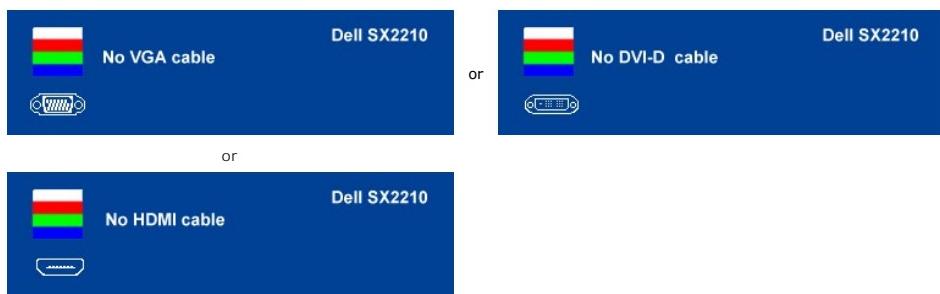
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Self-Test

Your monitor provides a self-test feature that allows you to check whether your monitor is functioning properly. If your monitor and computer are properly connected but the monitor screen remains dark, run the monitor self-test by performing the following steps:

1. Turn off both your computer and the monitor.
2. Unplug the video cable from the back of the computer or monitor. To ensure proper Self-Test operation, remove the HDMI, Digital (white connector), and the Analog (blue connector) cables from the back of the computer or monitor.
3. Turn on the monitor.

The floating dialog box should appear on-screen (against a black background) if the monitor cannot sense a video signal and is working correctly. While in self-test mode, the power LED remains white. Also, depending upon the selected input, one of the dialogs shown below will continuously scroll through the screen.



4. This box also appears during normal system operation, if the video cable becomes disconnected or damaged.
5. Turn off your monitor and reconnect the video cable; then turn on both your computer and the monitor.

If your monitor screen remains blank after you use the previous procedure, check your video controller and computer, because your monitor is functioning properly.

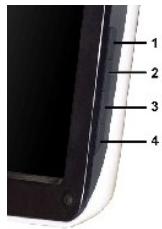
Built-in Diagnostics

Your monitor has a built-in diagnostic tool that helps you determine if the screen abnormality you are experiencing is an inherent problem with your monitor, or with your computer system and graphic card.

 **NOTE:** You can run the built-in diagnostics only when the video cable is unplugged and the monitor is in *self-test mode*.

To run the built-in diagnostics:

1. Ensure that the screen is clean (no dust particles on the surface of the screen).
2. Unplug the video cable(s) from the back of the computer or monitor. The monitor then goes into the self-test mode.
3. On the front panel, press and hold the **shortcut key 1** and **shortcut key 4** keys on the front panel, simultaneously for 2 seconds. A gray screen appears.



4. Carefully inspect the screen for abnormalities.
5. Press the **shortcut key 4** key on the front panel again. The color of the screen changes to red.
6. Inspect the display for any abnormalities.
7. Repeat steps 5 and 6 to inspect the display in green, blue, and white colored screens.

The test is complete when the white screen appears. To exit, press the **shortcut key 4** key again.

If you do not detect any screen abnormalities upon using the built-in diagnostic tool, the monitor is functioning properly. Check the video card and computer.

Common Problems

The following table contains general information about common monitor problems you might encounter and the possible solutions.

Common Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
No Video/Power LED off	No picture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor and the computer is properly connected and secure. Verify that the power outlet is functioning properly using any other electrical equipment.
No Video/Power LED on	No picture or no brightness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase brightness & contrast controls via OSD. Perform monitor self-test feature check. Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. Run the built-in diagnostics.
Poor Focus	Picture is fuzzy, blurry, or ghosting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perform Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust the Phase and Pixel Clock controls via OSD. Eliminate video extension cables. Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Change the video resolution to the correct aspect ratio (16:9).
Shaky/Jittery Video	Wavy picture or fine movement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perform Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust the Phase and Pixel Clock controls via OSD. Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Check environmental factors. Relocate the monitor and test in another room.
Missing Pixels	LCD screen has spots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cycle power on-off. Pixel that is permanently off is a natural defect that can occur in LCD technology. Run the built-in diagnostics
Stuck-on Pixels	LCD screen has bright spots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cycle power on-off. Pixel that is permanently off is a natural defect that can occur in LCD technology. Run the built-in diagnostics
Brightness Problems	Picture is too dim or too bright	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust brightness & contrast controls via OSD.
Geometric Distortion	Screen is not centered correctly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust brightness & contrast controls via OSD. <p>NOTE: When using 'DVI-D' or 'HDMI', the positioning adjustments are not available.</p>
Horizontal/Vertical Lines	Screen has one or more lines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Perform Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust Phase and Pixel Clock controls via OSD. Perform monitor self-test feature check and determine if these lines are also in self-test mode. Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. Run the built-in diagnostics <p>NOTE: When using 'DVI-D' or 'HDMI', the Pixel Clock and Phase adjustments are not available.</p>
Synchronization Problems	Screen is scrambled or appears torn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Perform Auto Adjust via OSD. Adjust Phase and Pixel Clock controls via OSD. Perform monitor self-test feature check to determine if the scrambled screen appears in self-test mode. Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. Restart the computer in the <i>safe mode</i>.
Safety Related Issues	Visible signs of smoke or sparks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not perform any troubleshooting steps. Contact Dell immediately.
Intermittent Problems	Monitor malfunctions on & off	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor to the computer is connected properly and is secure. Reset the monitor to Factory Settings. Perform monitor self-test feature check to determine if the intermittent problem occurs in self-test mode.

Missing Color	Picture lacks color	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perform monitor self-test feature check. Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor to the computer is connected properly and is secure. Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. Run the built-in diagnostics
Wrong Color	Picture color not good	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change the Color Setting Mode in the Color Settings OSD to Graphics or Video depending on the application. Try a different Color Preset Setting in Color Settings OSD. Adjust R/G/B value in Color Settings OSD if the Color Management is turned off. Change the Input Color Format to PC RGB or YPbPr in the Advance Setting OSD. Run the built-in diagnostics
Image retention from a static image left on the monitor for a long period of time	Faint shadow from the static image displayed appears on the screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use the Power Management feature to turn off the monitor at all times when not in use (for more information, see Power Management Modes). Alternatively, use a dynamically changing screensaver.

Product-Specific Problems

Specific Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
Screen image is too small	Image is centered on screen, but does not fill entire viewing area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reset the monitor to Factory Settings.
Cannot adjust the monitor with the keys on the front panel	OSD does not appear on the screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Turn off the monitor, unplug the power cord, plug back, and then turn on the monitor.
No Input Signal when user controls are pressed	No picture, the LED light is white. When you press "up", "down" or "Menu" key, the message appears	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check the signal source. Ensure that the Computer is not in the power saving mode by moving the mouse or pressing any key on the keyboard. Check whether the signal cable is plugged in properly. Re-plug the signal cable if necessary. Reset the computer or video player.
The picture does not fill the entire screen.	The picture cannot fill the height or width of the screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Due to different video formats (aspect ratio) of DVDs, the monitor may display in full screen. Run the built-in diagnostics

 **NOTE:** When choosing DVI-D or HDMI mode, the **Auto Adjust** function is not available.

Universal Serial Bus (USB) Specific Problems

Specific Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
USB interface is not working	USB peripherals are not working	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check that your monitor is turned ON. Reconnect the upstream cable to your computer. Reconnect the USB peripherals (downstream connector). Switch off and then turn on the monitor again. Reboot the computer. Some USB devices like external portable HDD require higher electric current; connect the device directly to the computer system.
High Speed USB 2.0 interface is slow.	High Speed USB 2.0 peripherals working slowly or not working at all	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check that your computer is USB 2.0-capable. Some computers have both USB 2.0 and USB 1.1 ports. Ensure that the correct USB port is used. Reconnect the upstream cable to your computer. Reconnect the USB peripherals (downstream connector). Reboot the computer.

Dell™ Soundbar Problems

Common Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
No Sound	Soundbar has power - power indicator is on	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plug the audio line-in cable into the computer's audio out jack. Set all volume controls to their maximum and ensure that the mute option is not enabled. Play some audio content on the computer (example, audio CD, or MP3). Turn the Power/Volume knob on the Soundbar clockwise to a higher volume setting. Clean and reseat the audio line-in plug. Test the Soundbar using another audio source (For example: portable CD player, MP3 player).
Distorted Sound	Computer's sound card is used as the audio source	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear any obstructions between the Soundbar and the user. Confirm that the audio line-in plug is completely inserted into the jack of the sound card. Set all Windows volume controls to their midpoints. Decrease the volume of the audio application. Turn the Power/Volume knob on the Soundbar counter-clockwise to a lower volume setting. Clean and reseat the audio line-in plug. Troubleshoot the computer's sound card.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Test the Soundbar using another audio source (For example: portable CD player, MP3 player). Avoid using an audio cable extension or audio jack converter.
Distorted Sound	Other audio source is used	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear any obstructions between the Soundbar and the user. Confirm that the audio line-in plug is completely inserted into the jack of the audio source. Decrease the volume of the audio source. Turn the Power/Volume knob on the Soundbar counter-clockwise to a lower volume setting. Clean and reseat the audio line-in plug.
Unbalanced Sound Output	Sound from only one side of Soundbar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear any obstructions between the Soundbar and the user. Confirm that the audio line-in plug is completely inserted into the jack of the sound card or audio source. Set all Windows audio balance controls (L-R) to their midpoints. Clean and reseat the audio line-in plug. Troubleshoot the computer's sound card. Test the Soundbar using another audio source (For example: portable CD player, MP3 player).
Low Volume	Volume is too low	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear any obstructions between the Soundbar and the user. Turn the Power/Volume knob on the Soundbar clockwise to the maximum volume setting. Set all Windows volume controls to their maximum. Increase the volume of the audio application. Test the Soundbar using another audio source (For example: portable CD player, MP3 player).

Camera Problems

COMMON SYMPTOMS	WHAT YOU EXPERIENCE	POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS
No Power	The camera is not working and the LED is off	<p>If the monitor has no power, see Troubleshooting Your Monitor.</p> <p>Verify if the camera is detected by Windows. Reinstall the camera drives using the Dell SX2210 Webcam Resource CD. See Using the Camera for more information.</p>
Camera is not detected	The camera is not working and the LED is on	<p>Remove and insert the USB cable.</p> <p>Reinstall the Dell Webcam Software and drivers. See Installing your Dell Webcam Software for more information.</p>
Poor Focus	The camera captures fuzzy or unclear videos and pictures	<p>Verify that the protective film has been removed from the camera and the camera lens is clean.</p> <p>Clean the camera surface using a damp, soft lint-free cloth.</p> <p>Increase the available ambient light or change the source of light.</p> <p>Reset the camera defaults through the Dell Webcam Central. See Using the Camera for more information.</p> <p>Ensure that the Color Depth settings in Display Properties is set to 16-bit color or higher.</p> <p>NOTE: Lower color depth settings result in poor-quality images.</p> <p>NOTE: The integrated webcam operates at a lower resolution than most commercially available digital cameras. Most commercial digital cameras are 4 mega pixel or higher. The integrated webcam operates up to 2.0 mega pixel.</p>
Poor quality video on the Internet	The camera captures grainy images while using it on the Internet	Check your internet connection speed. A slow internet connection could cause similar problems with the video. It is recommended to use a broadband connection with good throughput.
Color Problem	The images are tinted red, blue, or green	<p>Reset the camera defaults through the Dell Webcam Central. See Using the Camera for more information.</p> <p>Adjust the camera color settings through Dell Webcam Central. See Using the Camera for more information.</p>
No Image	Blank screen	<p>Increase the available ambient light, change the direction of the camera, or change the source of light.</p> <p>Reset the camera defaults through the Dell Webcam Central. See Using the Camera for more information.</p> <p>Adjust the contrast levels using the Dell Webcam Central. See Using the Camera for more information.</p> <p>Ensure the camera is detected correctly by the Windows operating system.</p>
Slow frame rate in video capture mode	The capture video is not smooth	<p>The video capture especially in high resolution is a resource intensive task, reduce the video recording resolution. Select No Compression for video in the Video Recording settings.</p> <p>Install the latest DirectX and the latest webcam driver.</p>
Audio and video is not synchronized	The captured video and audio are not synchronized	The video capture, especially in high resolution is a resource intensive task. Reduce the video recording resolution. Select No Compression for video in the Video Recording settings.
Microphone is not working	The webcam captures video but not sound	<p>Speak from closer to the microphone.</p> <p>The integrated microphone is designed to have a wider reception area for recording. But it still has its limits. Try moving closer to the microphone or ensure that you are within the recording area for the microphone.</p> <p>Check if the volume is muted. To enable sound:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Click Start→Control Panel→Sound and Audio Devices. 2. Click to uncheck the box next to Mute.

	<p>Set the correct audio source in Dell Webcam Central. To select the correct audio source:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In the Dell Webcam Central, navigate to configure settings by clicking on the More Options button. 2. Select Monitor Webcam in the Microphone box. 3. Adjust the Volume slider to obtain the desired audio level.
	<p>Test the microphone. Try testing the microphone using an application other than the Dell Webcam Central. To test the microphone,</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Click Start->Control Panel->Sound and Audio Devices. 2.Click the Voice tab. 3.Click the Test Hardware button and follow the instructions.
	<p>If the recording is successful, reset the camera defaults or reinstall the Dell Webcam Software. See Using the Camera for more information.</p>

Facial Recognition (FastAccess) problems

Installation

Common Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
FastAccess software will not install	The FastAccess installer displays a dialog box with the message "This version cannot install on this computer -3"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i Ensure that the monitor USB cable is plugged into your computer. Monitor Webcam has been installed in the Windows Vista operating system.
FastAccess software will not install	The FastAccess installer displays a dialog box with the message "This version cannot install on this computer -2"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i This version of FastAccess will not install on a computer joined to a Domain. Please install on a non-Domain computer.
FastAccess software will not install	The FastAccess installer displays a dialog box with the message "FastAccess cannot be installed on Systems earlier than Windows Vista x86"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i This version of FastAccess will only install on Windows Vista : Windows 2000 are not supported.

Daily Use

Common Symptoms	What You See	Possible Solutions
Face Recognition is not possible and you must login manually	Color Bars are displayed in the FastAccess Video window along with the text "Unable to process Biometric Data, please check camera"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i Ensure that the monitor USB cable is plugged into your computer. Monitor Webcam has been installed in the Windows Vista operating system. i Login to the computer manually and close any applications that may be running in the background. i If you previously manually selected a webcam in the "Camera" section of the FastAccess Configuration Console, ensure this webcam is selected, not, select another webcam from the list. Selecting "First Available" will connect to any available webcam.
Face Recognition is not possible and you must login manually	Color Bars are displayed in the FastAccess Video window along with the text "License key is invalid"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i Make sure the Dell Monitor's USB cable is plugged into the correct port. Monitor Webcam is properly installed on this computer. Fast Access Monitor Webcam is not connected to the computer.
The wrong webcam is connected to FastAccess	You have a laptop with a built-in webcam and FastAccess is not using the desired webcam.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i Open the "Configuration Console" and select the "Advance" link. Select the desired webcam. Either reboot your computer or then re-enable FastAccess.
Face Recognition is unavailable	FastAccess is missing from the Windows Vista login screen.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i FastAccess has been disabled. Open the "Configuration Console" mode to enable FastAccess.
Video applications such as Skype, IM and others can find the webcam.	You are unable to get active video to another application.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i If FastAccess is enabled, open the video application's camera settings and select "faCap". i If FastAccess is disabled, open the video application's camera settings and select "Monitor Webcam" or another available webcam.

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